as well as inculcate new behavioural norms for the police.

(ix) Booklets and pamphlets in local languages should be prepared giving details of services/schemes available procedures to be followed, etc.

(x) Each State should earmark one training institution for upgrading and developing it into a nodal institution.

(xi) The procedure for sanction of pensions shall be rationalised so as to ensure the issue of pension payment order and gratuity order to each empolyees on the date of superannuation.

(xii) Reasonable tenure in a post is essential for an officer to show results as well as for fixing accountability for performance. State Governments shall review their placement policy in this regard.

(b) The Conference primarily serves as a forum for exchange of views. The points indicated above reflect the consensus arrived at in the Conference.

Central guidelines in State for clean administration

2625. SHRI ALADI ARUNA *alias* V. ARUNACHALAM :
SHRI K. VASUDEVA PANICKER:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) what are the guidelines issued by the Centre to the States to cleanse administration and make them more responsible to people;

(b) whether States have followed these guidelines; and

(c) ifso, to what extent they have been implemented?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI P. CHIDAMBARAM): (a) to (c) The Government have issued guidelines to the State Governments to eliminate corruption in Administration. These guidelines stipulate among other things, the need for creating suitable vigilance machinery appointment of Chief Vigilance Officers in sensitive and corruption prone departments and formulation of action plan for anti-corruption efforts. The Government is in continuous correspondence with the State Governments regarding the implementation of the guidelines;

Guidelines have also been circulated to State Governments for implementation of point No. 20 of the Twenty Point Programme viz., "Responsive Administration". These guidelines stipulate that the States may:--

(i) progressively build in all ingredients of Point No. 20 in the schemes administered under the Twenty Point Programme—1986;

(ii) include major tasks to be undertaken during the year in regard to simplification of procedures; delegation of authority; enforcement of accountability; and attending promptly and sympathetically to public grievances in their annual Action Plan; and

(iii) review the progress made on a quarterly basis.

Bank dacoities in Punjab

2626. SHRI F. M. KHAN: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) the number of dacoities committed on nationalised banks in various districts of the Punjab during the last four months;

(b) the amount involved in each dacoity;

(c) the number of persons apprehended in connection with these crimes; and

(d) the details of measure taken to strengthen security measures in Punjab?